

Subject:

Meeting Date: January 9, 2023	
Submitted/Presented by/Department: Brian Sturgeon, Chief of Police	
Action Type	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent Item	<input type="checkbox"/> Discussion/Direction
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing	<input type="checkbox"/> Informational Only
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Action/Motion	<input type="checkbox"/> Report
<input type="checkbox"/> Resolution	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:
Action	
Authorize the Mayor and City Manager to sign the Mutual Aid Agreement between the Cities of West St. Paul and St. Paul.	
Background	
<p>During emergency situations, public safety entities often have to rely on one another for assistance. This emergency assistance is outlines in Minnesota Statute, Chapter 12.27. Some entities like St Paul, prefer to have a mutual aid agreement in place with their partners.</p> <p>We have had a mutual aid agreement in place for a number of years with St. Paul which expired on December 31, 2022. St. Paul would like to renew this agreement through December 31, 2026.</p> <p>The agreement has been reviewed by the City Attorney and as written, has no issues with the agreement as it is standard wording that the League of Minnesota Cities recommends.</p>	
Attachments	
Mutual Aid Agreement between the Cities of West St. Paul and St. Paul for police services during emergency situations.	
Previous Relevant Actions	
Last agreement was approved by Council in 2015.	
Alternatives	
Do not approve the Mutual Aid Agreement which would impact partnerships in emergency situations.	
Financial	
Budgeted: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Financial Impact
Fund:	
Department:	
Account:	
Amount:	